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## APPLICATION AS FILED - PART I

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<b>BASIC FEE</b> (37 CFR 1.16(e), (u), or (c))			
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<b>EXAMINATION FEE</b> (37 CFR 1.16(o), (p), or (q))			
<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> (37 CFR 1.16(l))	minus 20 =	+	
<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> (37 CFR 1.16(h))	minus 3 =	+	
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<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT</b> (37 CFR 1.16(j))			

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## APPLICATION AS AMENDED - PART II

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	Total (37 CFR 1.16(l))	28	Minus	23	5
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Date: November 7, 2005

Sir:

This is a Preliminary Amendment for the above-captioned patent application. Entry of the following amendments and remarks, further examination, and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.

**Preliminary Amendment filed November 7, 2005  
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**REMARKS:**

Claims 1-28 are currently being considered, of which claim 19 has been amended and claims 24-28 have been newly added herein.

Applicant appreciates the Examiner's indication that claims 1-23 are allowed (Notice of Allowability).

It is respectfully submitted that claims 1-28, currently being considered, are in condition for allowance, which action, at an early date, is requested.

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